

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota Office of the Governor

WHEREAS, Brooke Marie Bjorneberg will graduate from T.F. Riggs High School on May 23, 2004, amidst the fanfare and celebration of family and friends; and,

WHEREAS, Brooke's graduation is a fitting and proper culmination of many years of hard work and dedication both inside and outside the classroom; and,

WHEREAS, While in high school, Brooke was active in chorus, band, cheerleading, drama, basketball student manager, intramural sports and yearbook; and,

WHEREAS, Brooke was in Girl Scouts for 10 years, a Sunday School music leader and worship song leader, held a part-time job, took piano and voice lessons, and dance for 13 years; and spent two summers working as a camp counselor; and

WHEREAS, Brooke's achievements are an inspiration to all young people who recognize that learning is not a product but a process that stays with us all during our lives; and,

WHEREAS, Brooke's stalwart work ethic and powerful drive to succeed guarantee a future filled with awesome challenges and unbounded opportunities; and,

WHEREAS, Brooke has been accepted "With Distinction" at Augustana College in Sioux Falls where she will further her education:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, M. MICHAEL ROUNDS, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim May 23, 2004, as


BROOKE MARIE BJORNEBERG DAY

in Pierre, South Dakota, and I personally join Brooke's family, her many friends and her classmates in recognizing the accomplishments of the past and the promise of the future. Well done and Godspeed, Brooke. I'm proud of you.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Third Day of May, in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Four.


M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest: 
Chris Nelson, Secretary of State